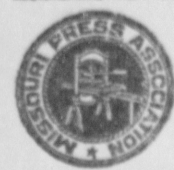


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Cleve Hayes from Clarence, Mo., writes to that he wishes to contact some melon grower with the intent of buying a truck load of melons every week during the season. If you are interested write Mr. Hayes at Clarence, Mo.

George Snider, Director of WPA headquarters at Farmington is expected to meet with interested parties this Friday evening to do what he can to aid Sikeston with an Army and Community Building. C. L. Blanton, Jr., is likewise expected and both the City Council and the Board of Public Works will be present.

An Exceptional Friend Has Gone

Friendship is society and business in many cases all too casual. We meet—admire, endorse, criticize possibly, and go on our devious ways looking after selfish affairs—forgetting to follow up friendships that may ripen and develop into a standard of regard that can not be shaken by ill winds of prejudice and other petty things of life. It has been our privilege since coming to Sikeston to find a friendship that measured up to that scale, with one of the kindest and most sympathetic men we have ever known. Business cares and responsibilities were never so pressing but what he could find time two, three, four times weekly to call, exchange friendly greetings and well wishes with all the

force, and pass on to his daily duties. Such evidence of human kindness and good will is far beyond the daily average—and now—that Clarence Bruton has crossed the great Divide his example stands out like a Beacon Light in comparison. Along with his many other friends we shall treasure the memory of his companionship and encouraging words till the evening shadows fall.—From F. D. Lair's advertisement.

Quite a bit of sickness in and around Sikeston due, perhaps, to the hot weather, cantaloupes and green corn. With us at this time we could digest an iron wedge if we could swallow it.

From our hometown, Paris, Mo., comes word of the arrest of a preacher charged with killing a young woman, robbing her and throwing her body from the Mark Twain bridge at Hannibal into the Mississippi River. We knew the woman well, a church member and a Christian, yet she was supposedly killed by her former pastor in whom she had implicit faith. Circumstantial evidence is mighty strong against him as blood was found in his car and strands of golden hair like hers, and a pair of trousers and shirt only partially washed showing traces of blood were found in his home. Suspicion was so strong that the Rev. Newton was removed to another jail for safe keeping. Maybelle Bryor Kelly was a distant relative of the Standard editor.

Every once in a while we learn something new from Ripley's Believe It Or Not. He tells us that Landgrave Fredrich II of Hesse-Cassel, Germany, who sold the Hessian soldiers to England to fight against the United States, refused to see his own children for 39 years, that he was the father of 113 illegitimate children and left \$60,000,000 in cash when he died. Some man.

Every once in a while we read in the papers where a preacher has gone astray and in spite of the fact that we know they are human beings, we are shocked. They are just like other men, we suppose, like to gaze upon pretty women and pretty women seem to like to linger around a preacher. Both should keep their distance and watch their step.

W. W. Lankford went to Pine Ridge, Miss., Wednesday to spend several days.

Listen to this and weep. It is said that a citizen of Sikeston in an influential calling is for the Army if the WPA will pay for it, that they have paved our streets and should build the Armory. That he was ferriest if the money was to come from the Board of Public Works. What is the difference where the money comes from so we get the building so badly needed in Sikeston, and so long as the Board of Public Works meets its engine payments, meets its interest and sinking fund. It will be months before any source will be called on for cash to follow the \$5000 State money now available and by that time Sikeston's money producer can step in and help. Some people were against the light and power plant to start with and are now awful damn solicitous.

This spell of weather is mighty trying on old folks and babies, however if one's conscience is clear and they have a cooling system in their bed room they can at least rise in the morning much refreshed.

T. E. L. CLASS MEETS

A meeting of the T. E. L. Class of the Baptist church was held Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Dean Marshall on Greer Avenue. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Grover Lewis, Mrs. Carol White and Mrs. L. B. Patterson.

SPEND SUNDAY AT KEENER SPRINGS

An outing was enjoyed at Keener Springs Sunday by these persons: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Mahew and son of Crystal City; Mr. and Mrs. John Hart, Miss Lena and Miss Mary Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Bed Stepp and daughter, Mrs. Ida Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hart, all of new Madrid and Mrs. Wm. E. Mahew and two children of Sikeston.

WHEAT PRICE AND YIELD HIGHER AROUND SIKESTON

With wheat standing at approximately 20 cents a bushel higher this year than last at this time, prospects in Southeast Missouri's eight counties indicate a yield of about 4,000,000 bushels, or 60 per cent above last year, according to Lyman Bowman of the Scott County Milling Company.

The price offered by the company Thursday morning was \$1.16 for No. 2 wheat.

While black rust is reported to have cut the output considerably in some parts of the United States and Canada, none has been observed in the Sikeston territory. However, red rust has been found in this section, farmers say, particularly in low sections.

Mr. Bowman attributes the increase in the prospective Southeast Missouri production to increased acreage, rather than to favorable weather conditions, as this area experienced somewhat unfavorable weather during the wheat's maturing period.

The increased acreage in this section is estimated at 60 per cent. E. A. Logan, senior crop statistician for the state at Columbia, has estimated a crop of 36,000,000 bushels for Missouri.

Prevailing reports of damaged wheat in northern United States and Canada have kept the market aloft and steady. In North Dakota the black rust damage has in

some cases gone as high as 60 per cent. Current damp and muggy weather in these sections have proved ideal to rust expansion, dispatches declare. Farmers in the Sikeston area stand to benefit through wheat conditions elsewhere.

The price of wheat does not necessarily fall after harvest begins, it was stated, but depends strictly upon supply and demand. This year, Mr. Bowman said, the demand has not fallen.

Four Sikeston Boy Scouts Back From U. S. Jamboree

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guage underground railroad which serves Congressmen alone in their duties. Mr. Zimmerman put forth far more efforts than most of the Congressmen did to show the boys from his territory the chief buildings in Washington, Lee Austin Bowman said.

The boys took the stairway route up to the top of the Washington monument and rode down in the elevator, saw the Lincoln Memorial and went over into Virginia to see Mt. Vernon, home of George Washington. They also visited J. Edgar Hoover's Federal Bureau of Investigation, the Bureau of Printing and Engraving, the Archives Building and some went to Annapolis to see the Naval Academy.

Region 8 Scouts put on a circus before the others that was considered the best stunt of the jamboree, young Bowman said. Some were dressed like Missouri miners, others like Indians, and the object was to show the necessity of Scouting.

One of the chief achievements by the Missouri troop was the winning of a flag for good camping. Among the 28,000 boys, only 134 flags were given out during the jamboree.

At 12:30 o'clock July 9 the boys entrained for New York City, and stayed at the Victoria Hotel. They saw Broadway, Park Avenue, Fifth Avenue, 42nd Street, the Empire State building and were escorted through Radio City by a guide.

Leaving New York City on the evening of July 10, the Scouts spent July 11 at Niagara Falls, witnessing the spectacle during the day from the American side, and from the Canadian side at night.

The next day the young travelers were in Detroit, where they toured the Ford Motor Company plant. They saw automobiles assembled in 55 minutes.

The Scouts departed from Detroit on Monday evening and arrived in St. Louis at 7 o'clock Tuesday morning. They ate breakfast in the Union Station, and left shortly afterward for Sikeston, landing here at 1:20 p. m.

Because of the large number of Scouts attending the jamboree, they were able to secure railroad fare and accommodations at the encampment at greatly reduced rates.

CLARENCE FOSTER BRUTON

Southeast Missouri was again robbed of a most valued citizen when death claimed C. F. Bruton, the local postmaster and patron saint of civic progress, as a result of an automobile accident at the North "Y", Monday, July 5, 1937.



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Mr. Bruton, who had consistently applied his every effort to his constructive life to the development of Southeast Missouri, coined the phrase "The Modern Promised Land," and made known the fine quality of its soil and the fertility of its fields throughout the Midwestern section of our country.

Sikeston, as well as the section of the country in which the Queen City is the trading center, will find it difficult to replace one whose counsel and foresight were found to be so reliable and whose every thought was focused upon the needs of our community and its development.

The late Mr. Bruton came to Sikeston in 1904 and from that time forward, made himself a moving force in the steady development of the City though his interests were centered in Sikeston, his accomplishments, legion in number and monumental in scope, were not narrowly confined to the limits of our City, but were spread upon the pages of the progress of our State in a most conspicuous manner.

He was, indeed, a man of whom it could be said, that though he was the busiest of persons, no matter of civic planning or personal concern was too small to receive his enthusiastic interest and attention.

The passing of such a friend is truly a challenge to the young manhood of our community and an opportunity for metal testing to endeavor to carry on in as able a fashion as that set by the civic pass-setter who has just passed.—Junior Chamber of Commerce News.

AMONG THE BLUE BLOODS

Washington, July 8.—John L. Lewis, champion of labor, will move soon to one of the more historic homes in Alexandria, Va. Evelyn Peyton Gordon, Washington society editor, today wrote the following article describing the event:

"Of course, John L. Lewis has been living in that haughty little town of Alexandria for some time, much to the consternation of some of the other residents, but his house on South Fairfax street was more modestly in keeping with the policies of the great, busy-browed leader of the C. I. O. "Mrs. Lewis, who has been catapulted into society since her husband's rise to fame, has had a busy time planning for the move to her new home. Just now she is in the West, where she was called by the illness of her father. But when she rolled away, it was in a great shining, chauffeur-driven limousine, much more suited to wives of the men whom her husband fights than to one who is supposed to have such simple tastes.

"The house occupied by the Lewises now is also an historic place, built in 1775 by a nephew of Dr. Gustavus Brown, one of George Washington's physicians. It is a charming place, but not comparable to the Fendall house on Washington street, for which John L. recently paid \$27,500. But that's only the beginning. It will cost him \$50,000 before he's through if he intends to do the thing up in the right way. There's lots of restoring necessary if the house is to be anything like it was when Philip Fendall, a distinguished lawyer, built in a 1791. Fendall's first wife was Elizabeth Steptoe Lee, related to Gen. Henry (Lighthorse Harry) Lee, so just imagine the shuddering of the shades of those patrician Lees when the Lewises move into their former home!

"The house now is occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Avra Warren, who

have leased it until March. But they'll probably move sooner, because Mr. Warren has been appointed consul general to Vienna and first secretary of our legation.

"So into this show place of the eighteenth century will go John L. Lewis with his wife and daughter Katherine.

Fendall house stands in a neighborhood where fashion has been revived by wealthy persons whose hobby it is to buy and restore the best of colonial mansions. There's a big white-arched drawing room with famous memories. It was there that "Lighthorse Harry" Lee delivered Washington's funeral oration, and it was in that speech that he said "first in war, first in peace and first in the hearts of his countrymen." Robert E. Lee's mother was married in the same room, and General Lee himself lived just across the street.

"The original mantelpieces from the library are stored in the cellar, but Mrs. Lewis plans to have them put back in place. When all is finished, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will have a background of dignity and aristocracy in which to entertain members of society who are already bidding them to the inner circles.

"There's a big garden with an ancient magnolia tree in the center, and there the labor leader can welcome his guests with the traditional julep in hand. A separate wing of the house will be the private apartment of Katherine, and already her great four-poster bed is set up there. She's a big girl, and the antique had to be strongly roped for her. Also she's her father's secretary and inherits her parents' love of antiques. Like so many persons with their new found fame and riches, prices mean little to the Lewises. If they see a thing they want for their new home, they'll have it.

"So Alexandria is getting accustomed to the newcomers, and even Mrs. Fleming Holland, a newcomer herself, but a more blue-blooded one, has ceased to kick against the invasion."

Personal And Society Items From Morehouse

O. D. Edwards is still seriously ill.

Quite a number cases of Colitis in our town.

Dr. C. H. Pease and wife were business visitors in Wyatt, Mo., Monday afternoon.

Miss Ann Marie Shuhan of Wynona, Mo., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sherrard this week.

Mrs. R. F. Vick who has been real sick the past two weeks is slowly convalescing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ike Trovillion spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Andrews in Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Spence expect to get moved into their new, modern home this week.

A Baptismal service was conducted by the Pentecost church in the big ditch west of town Sunday afternoon.

Bill Sullivan of Los Angeles, Calif., is spending the summer months with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Herron.

Mrs. Dee Reeves and daughter

ters of St. Louis, Mo., spent Monday and Tuesday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Anderson.

Mrs. Hallie Height, Misses Ruby and Treecle Latham, and Wilma Hawkins were business visitors in Canolou Thursday.

W. B. McNew is progressing nicely in the building of his new residence near the City Hall.

James Cornell visited relatives in Sikeston Monday night.

J. C. Parmley and Miss Beatrice Jones both of this city were married by a J. P. Saturday night, July 10th they will reside in this town.

It looks as though Amelia Earhart is among the lost at sea. She will not be forgotten in our garden as we have three hills of dahlias that contain a bulb named the Amelia Earhart and one of them has a bud that is now about to burst forth. It may be pretty and may not be.

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To Entertain Circle A

Of St. Ann's Sodality

Mrs. Rudolph Schuhardt and Mrs. R. Bienter of Morehouse will entertain Circle A of St. Ann's Sodality and other friends with a chicken dinner, Tuesday, July 20, at the home of Mrs. Schuhardt.

LIONS HOLDING FISH FRY

In place of their regular meeting at noon Wednesday, the Lions are holding a fish fry at Applegate's Grove Thursday evening at 5 o'clock, with all club members and their friends invited.

Personal And Society Items From Matthews

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Wilson returned Friday from a week's visit with their son in law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Herschel Yates in Mokane, Mo. Mrs. Yates and little son Herschel Wilson accompanied them home for a visit.

Mrs. Donald Story and little daughter Martha Ann and Mrs. Roy Alsop visited in Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Mrs. Gordon Straud and children and brother Robert Burch, who is here visiting from Evansville, Ind., motored to Memphis, Monday to visit their sister Mrs. Johnnie Spence and family. They returned home Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Spence and children who remained for a short visit.

Marion Rodgers of Cape Girardeau spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Sutton.

Mrs. A. F. Deane and son Bobby Dale spent several days the past week in Greenway, Ark., with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alsop had the following at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Binford, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deane Jr. and son, W. H. Deane Sr. and Dr. Mowry of Jackson.

Dr. Mowry, layman from the M. E. Church of Jackson had charge of services at the M. E. Church of this place Sunday. A very interesting talk was given.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huckstep and children and Mrs. Huckstep's mother Mrs. Mills, left last week for a few weeks visit in Texas.

Mrs. Clifford Sutton, daughter Miss Bernice, Misses Lillian and Kathleen Spalding spent Saturday in Hayti visiting Mrs. Sherman Hill and Miss Hazel Mangrum.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Deane and children, Louis, Buster, Martha and Francis, left Monday for California where they will spend several weeks.

Mrs. Byron Kelly and little daughter Kay Francis of Caruthersville spent the week end here with Mrs. Kelly's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Huls.

Personal and Society News from Landers Ridge

Tony Freeland of Tanner community spent the week end with Beatrice Adcock.

Miss Margaret Crosno returned home Sunday afternoon after having spent the past week with Mary Virginia Robertson of Iron-ton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Williams and son will leave the latter part of this week for an extended visit with relatives in Arkansas.

Edwina Johnson spent the week end with Inell Moore.

We are sorry to report that A. J. Heuser is ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kem and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Loren Moore and family of Big Opening. They were accompanied home by Mildred Moore who will spend this week visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Harris and baby were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Harris of Pharris Ridge.

Zelma Kem spent Sunday afternoon with Opal Hastings of Big Opening.

Rev. Homer Gunn of Kewanee filled his regular appointment at Landers Ridge Saturday evening and Sunday morning and evening. While here he was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Lomax and family.

A two week's revival will begin

at Landers Ridge Sunday, August 1 conducted by Rev. Lowry of Illinois. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Joe Seaton of Malden spent the past week here visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mamie Johnson and children and Mrs. Virginia Thompson and sons enjoyed a swimming party at East Ditch Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Crosno and daughter Mildred, motored to Portageville Sunday afternoon. Louise Kem, spent the week end with Euleta Savage of Pharris Ridge.

Earl, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Les Edwards is convalescing nicely after a serious illness of pneumonia followed by colitis.

Mike Sheiber of Alton, Ill., arrived last week to be with his wife and children who are visiting Mrs. Sheiber's parents Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fletcher.

Ruth Townsend spent Sunday with Beatrice Adcock.

Louise Kem and Mildred Moore spent Monday afternoon with Lois Johnson.

Evelyn and Loren Porter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lowe.

Helen and Nolen Huffman spent the week end with friends near Sikeston.

Mrs. James Thompson and sons of Normal, Ill., who have been visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mamie Johnson and family for the past two months will return home the latter part of this week.

50TH DISTRICT MASONS HAVE SESSION AT CHAFFEE

The 50th Masonic District Association held its quarterly meeting in Chaffee Tuesday at the Methodist Church opening with a concert at 6 p. m. by the Chaffee Junior Band and followed by a banquet at 7 o'clock.

The following program took

place: Invocation, Rev. W. A. Humphreys, grand chaplain of the Missouri Grand Lodge; address of welcome, Mayor O. T. Honey of Chaffee; response, F. E. Mount, Sikeston, president of the association; principal addresses, Most Worshipful Grand Master Geo. W. Walker, Cape Girardeau; Rev. C. H. Morton, grand order of the Missouri Grand Lodge; Clarence Powell, Dexter, vice-president of the association, and Dr. G. A. Sample, district deputy grand master of the 50th district.

Business was discussed and it was decided to hold the next meeting in October in Bell City. A roll call of lodges showed 12 of 16 lodges present.

Those to attend from Sikeston were Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Mount, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Lufcy, Marshall Wilson and Jere Caveno.

Most Worshipful Grand Master Walker will meet with Sikeston Masons on the evening of August 5.

Document Over 100 Years Old On Semo Elections

The following transcript of an interesting document over 100 years old, now in possession of a Southeast Missouri resident, was sent to the Standard office:

A call for Election of Certain Officers in New Madrid County, July 19th 1820.

The State of Missouri, To the Sheriff of New Madrid County, or in case of vacancy, to the Coroner of said County, greeting:

You are hereby required that you cause an Election to be held, in the manner prescribed by law, at the several places of holding Elections within your County on the Fourth Monday of August next for one Governor of this state; a Representative in the

Congress of The United States for the residue of the sixteenth Congress, a Representative for the seventeenth Congress; two senators for the district composed of your said county and the county of Cape Girardeau, and two Representatives from your said county to the General Assembly; one Sheriff and one Coroner for your County—Herein fail not.

Witness David Barton, president of the Convention at St. Louis, the 19th day of July, 1820, and of American Independence, the 45th.

Signed: David Barton.

Preceding the foregoing writ of election was the formal appointment of Abraham Hunter, December 2, 1818, set forth as follows:

Frederick Bates, Secretary of the Territory of Missouri and exercising the government thereof;

To all who shall see these presents, greeting:

Know ye, that reposing special trust and confidence in the integrity, abilities and diligence of Abraham Hunter, I do appoint him sheriff of the County of New Madrid and empower him to discharge the duties of said office according to law: To have and to hold the said office, with all powers, privileges and emoluments to the same of right appertaining,

Some 500 bushels of tomatoes

for two years unless sooner removed by the Governor.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto fixed the seal of the territory. Given under my hand at St. Louis the 2nd day of December in the year of our Lord 1818 and of the Independence of the United States the 43rd.

Signed: Frederick Bates. (Territorial Seal Affixed)

Abundant Vegetable Crop On State's Prison Farms

Jefferson City, July 12.—Under the direction of Paul V. Renz of Platte City, farm commissioner, hundreds of acres on the four scattered Missouri prison farms within a 15-mile radius of here are now producing all the fresh vegetables the 4500 convicts can eat. Surplus food will be canned, to be served at prison tables during the winter months.

There are about 2500 acres under cultivation on the farms, where some 450 convicts, mostly outgoing prisoners, are detailed, virtually all the land is rented. Corn is the most important crop, Renz said, with about 1500 acres under cultivation. It will be used principally to feed cattle and hogs which will be butchered later for prison use.

Some 500 bushels of tomatoes

are being picked daily. Other important crops include potatoes, beans, onions, spinach, beets, carrots, cucumbers, pumpkins and squash. About 20 acres of tobacco is being grown which Renz says he plans to process this fall for use of the inmates. Despite the poor farming years due to the drouth and flood, the prison farms produced \$244,000 worth of supplies during 1935 and 1936, Renz said. If land was available to make operations feasible, Renz said, the State could profitably farm 10,000 acres.

SOME SCOTT COUNTY FARM BUREAU NEWS

Hoppers Still a Menace

Another brood of grasshoppers has appeared. Several farmers have thought the hoppers not serious on their farms, but are now spreading poison bait.

The poison bait, a mixture of bran, sawdust and sodium arsenite is very effective in nearly all cases. Spreading 20 pounds per acre during the early morning before daylight secures the best kill. It must be scattered evenly and not left in piles.

County Agent Veatch urges farmers to watch their crops carefully and in case of damage or any likely hood of danger the

baits should be spread.

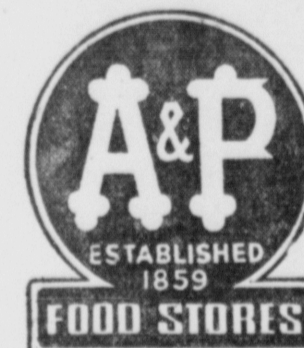
In many cases the hoppers are still confined to pastures, hay crops and fence rows and as long as green feed is available they will probably not damage other crops. However, the amount eaten in pastures and hay fields is considerably more than the cost of the poison bait. In every case where there are 15 or more to the square yard poison bait should be used.

Late Potatoes Can Be Forced

One of the difficulties Scott county farmers have with growing fall potatoes is that the seed often lies dormant for some time before sprouting, many times being delayed so long that they fail to make potatoes before frost.

County Agent Veatch demonstrated the use of a product Wednesday near Blodgett which cures the seed enough for sprouting in the use of the usual 3 or 4 weeks dormant period necessary in most cases.

He applied the material to the seed in the evening and let the seed in the sack stand over night in a tight barrel. It was ready to plant the next morning and the cost of treatment was 25 cents per bushel. Farmers interested can get in touch with the County Agent's office.



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Our Prices Are Low Every Day! Check Our Regular Prices

PURE CANE **SUGAR** 100-LB. BAG \$4.85 BULK BEET 100-LB. BAG \$4.65 (10 LBS. BULK, 49c) (10 LBS. BULK, 47c)

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MASON JARS COMPLETE WITH LIDS

PINTS DOZ. 59c QUARTS DOZ. 69c

GERTO BTL. 23c JAR CAPS DOZ. 25c
SURE-JEL 2 PKGS. 25c PEN-JEL 2 PKGS. 25c
JAR RINGS 2 PKGS. 9c PARAWAX 10c

FAMOUS A&P SALAD

DRESSING IONA BRAND 25c CANN PAGE BRAND 29c
QUART JAR QUART JAR

IN TOMATO SAUCE, IONA BRAND

PORK & BEANS 6 11-OZ. CANS 25c DOZ. CANS 49c

A&P FEATURES AN IONA BRAND

Flour Sale 24-LB. SACK 73c 48-LB. SACK \$1.45

RAJAH CIDER **VINEGAR** ... QT. FLOWER VASE JAR 10c

SUNNYFIELD **Corn Flakes** . 2 LGE. PKGS. 19c

LIFEBUOY OR **LUX SOAP** . . . 3 CAKES 20c

GELATIN DESSERT OR CHOC. OR VANILLA PUDDING **SPARKLE** . . . 6 PKGS. 25c

SUPER-CREAMED **Crisco or Spry** 3 -LB. CAN 59c

A&P FANCY APPLE **SAUCE** 3 NO. 2 CANS 25c

BULK, CRISP **Potato Chips** LB. 39c

Sweetheart **Soap Chips** 5 lb. Box 35c

No. 1 **POTATOES** 15 lb. Peck 25c

SOUTHERN, SWEET, JUICY **Watermelon** LARGE 26-28-LB. EACH 39c AVERAGE

BANANAS doz. 15c **Lettuce** 60 size 2 Heads 13c

Home Grown large **Corn** ears 2 Doz. 25c

A&P Food Stores

CHIPSO, RINSO OR **OXYDOL** 3 SM. PKGS. 25c

ARMOUR'S STAR **Potted Meats** 5 1/2-OZ. CAN 5c

LIGHT OR DARK MALT **Old Munich** . . 3 -LB. CAN 55c

CLEANS, DISINFECTS **PUREX** QT. JAR 15c

A&P FANCY FRUIT **COCKTAIL** . . . 2 NO. 1 CANS 25c

STANDARD QUALITY JUICE OF **TOMATOES** . . 12 1/2-OZ. JAR 5c

GOLD MEDAL OR PILLSBURY'S **FLOUR** 5 -LB. SACK 29c

LOW PRICED **Pinto Beans** . 3 LBS. 25c

NUTLEY BRAND **Oleo** 2 LBS. 25c

BANANAS doz. 15c **Lettuce** 60 size 2 Heads 13c

Home Grown large **Corn** ears 2 Doz. 25c

A&P Food Stores

COLLIN'S ASSORTED **Penny Drinks** EACH 1c

99 44-100% PURE SOAP **IVORY** LGE. CAKE 10c 4 SMALL CAKES, 25c

PINEAPPLE JUICE **DEL MONTE** . . 2 NO. 2 CANS 25c 3 NO. 1 CANS, 25c

A&P BREAD **BIG TWIST** . . 24-OZ. LOAF 10c

KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES OR POST **TOASTIES** LGE. PKG. 10c

ARMOUR'S STAR **Corned Beef** . . 12-OZ. CAN 19c

DAILY BRAND **DOG FOOD** . . 5 16-OZ. CANS 25c

BANANAS doz. 15c **Lettuce** 60 size 2 Heads 13c

Home Grown large **Corn** ears 2 Doz. 25c

A&P Food Stores

FOX Food Store

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Baby Beef Steak 16 1/2c 17 3/4c 18 3/4c

Baby Beef Roast 12 1/2c 14 3/4c 17 3/4c

Breast of Veal 12 1/2c

Beef Short Ribs 10c

Creamery Butter Pound 32c

SLICED BACON SUGAR CURED 25c

Ripe Tomatoes, pound 5c

Cantaloupes 6 for 25c

Cabbage, 50 lbs. 49c

PEANUT BUTTER, Quart Jar 25c

Pickles, Qt. Jar 15c

POTATOES No. 1, Best, Peck 25c

Ice Cream Pint 12c Large Brick 19c 2 Cones 5c

WARD'S STORES LOOK! Ward's Have Gone Crazy On Prices

Specials for Friday-Saturday, July 16-17

SUGAR Pure Cane 10 lbs. 48c

APPLE BUTTER 2 quart jars 25c

PEANUT BUTTER quart jar 23c

Saturday Afternoon Special FROM 2:00 P. M. TILL 6 P. M. ONLY

Bananas Large Golden Fruit doz. 5c

We Reserve the Right To Limit Quantities

FRUIT JARS Quarts Dozen 65c

FRUIT JARS 1/2 Gallon Doz. 95c

Puffed Wheat 2 packages 15c

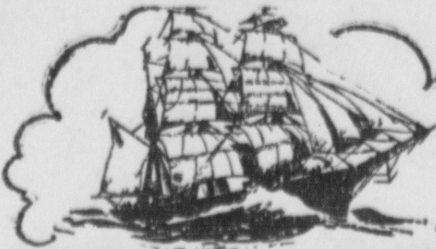
Corn Flakes 4 10c pkgs. 25c

MUSTARD Quart Jar 9c

BOLOGNA 2 lbs. 25c

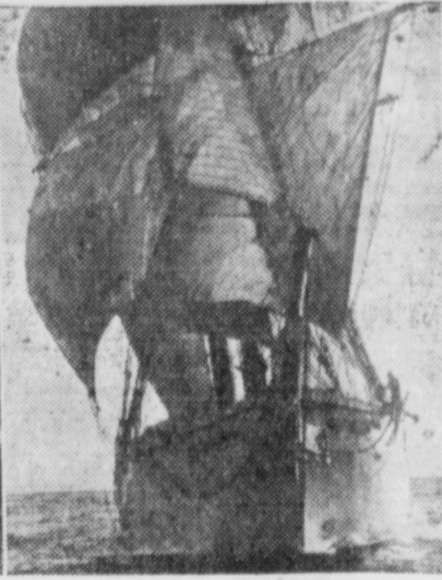
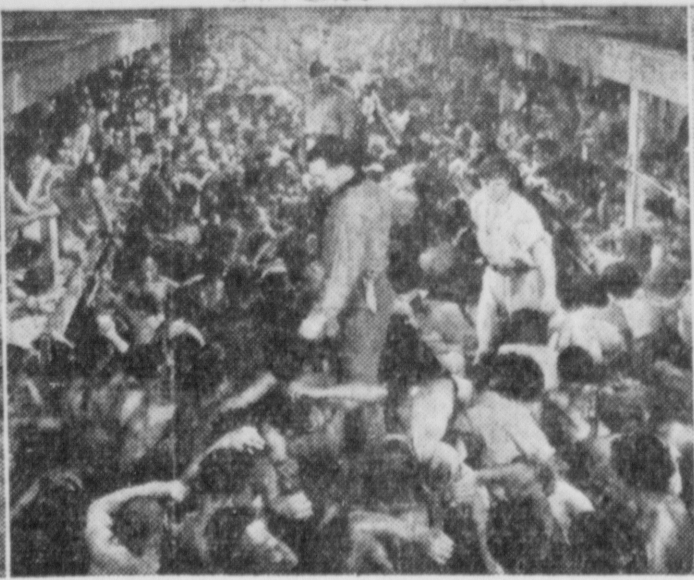
Pure Pork Sausage lb. 19c

Headquarters for Double Dip Ice Cream Cones and Cold Drinks



SLAVE SHIP

The story of the 20th Century-Fox Film starring Warner Baxter and Wallace Berry



AT A REMOTE port on the northwest coast of Africa in the year 1849, Captain Jim Lovett (Warner Baxter) of the slave-ship Albatross, and his mate, Jack Thompson (Wallace Berry), conclude the purchase of a shipload of slaves from Danelo, (Joseph Schildkrant). The slave dealer is in high good humor, but the two seamen fail to appreciate his joking references to the possibility that they may be caught and hanged.

WHILE the final steps of the deal are being executed, members of the Albatross crew, with liberal use of black-snake whips, herd the unfortunate blacks into the cramped, ill-smelling hold of the slave ship. Packed sardine fashion, the slaves seem to realize that the usual death rate for the long, equatorial crossing is about twenty-five percent of the "cargo". But chained in the hold, they can only hope for a safe passage—for it was a custom on slave ships to drown the negroes if a warship was sighted in pursuit.

HER "cargo" stowed below, away from the sight of casually passing vessels, the Albatross weighs anchor and stands out for the long, perilous run to the American coast. Sharp-eyed look-outs scan the horizon for sight of American or British naval patrols, for capture means death.

GOOD fortune attends the Albatross. After several narrow escapes from naval frigates, the slave ship arrives at a secret rendezvous south of the Virginia Capes. Shore look-outs signal that all is clear, and the surviving blacks are quickly transferred ashore. Since the blockade against slave-running, the price has soared, and Captain Lovett has no difficulty in disposing of his cargo at a high return for himself and his crew.

(To be continued)

softball games here Wednesday night. The boys, under the tutelage of Coach "Peg" Mahew, gained two victories over the Stoddard County lads last week at Dexter.

The elder group, from 15 to 18 years, took their battle, 11-5, in seven innings Wednesday night. This game was featured by the pitching of Wagner and work of Tongate at second base. The 8-to-15-year division won a 5-inning tilt, 8-6.

The younger boys had the following lineup: Catcher, O'Connor; pitcher, Marshall; first base, Mitchell; second base, Waggoner; shortstop, Billy Joe and Lowell Greer; third base, Wagner; left field, Moore; center field, McCord; right field, Renner and Swacker; short center, Daugherty.

The other Sikeston team consisted of: Catcher, Rafferty; pitcher, R. Wagner; first base, Aldridge; second base, Tongate; shortstop, Heath; third base, Watson; left field, Swain; center field, Young; right field, Marsh; short center, Davis and Golliday.

Coach Mahew hopes to book a game with Charleston boys in the near future.

For 30 minutes at the High School the boys saw movies presented by C. O. Brown, Chicago athletic associate, on batting, fielding and other baseball points by the Chicago Cubs.

Child Performer Visits Grandparents at Blodgett Mrs. C. A. Williams, of Chicago are visiting in the home of the latter's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McCann of near Blodgett.

Lowell, the son of the late Mrs. Mildred McCann Williams, formerly of Sikeston, was recently chosen as one of the winners in a juvenile contest held in Chicago, participating in the juvenile talent parade, and as one of the juvenile stars on Mayor Kelly's Chicago Charter jubilee program.

The young man dances, sings and speaks and is a registered model with work at the Model's bureau.

The Sikeston Standard \$2 per year

Orville Lumsden will spend the week end in Jefferson City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott were guests of their daughter, Mrs. L. A. Harris in Portageville, Thursday night.



Used Cars and Trucks

1937 Ford V-8 DeLuxe Coach (Less than 15000 miles)
1936 Chevrolet Town Sedan
1935 Chevrolet Coupe
1934 Chevrolet Coupe
1933 Plymouth Coach
1931 Chevrolet Coach
1931 Ford Coach

TRUCKS—TRUCKS

1935 GMC Cab and Chassis, A-1 Tires, H. D.
1933 Chevrolet Long Wheel-base, with body.
193 Chevrolet 131, Stake Body
1932 Chevrolet Long Wheel-base, Platform Body
1932 Chevrolet Panel Truck
1935 Ford V-8 Pick-up
1933 Chevrolet Pick-up
1932 Ford BB Pick-up



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LEGALS

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given, that letters testamentary on the estate of Chas. D. Matthews, Jr., deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 28 day of June, 1937, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

ELEANOR B. MATTHEWS, VIRGINIA M. PHILLIPS, CHAS. D. MATTHEWS SRD., Executors.

Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court of Scott County, (SEAL) O. L. SPENCER, Probate Judge.

80-82-84-86

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given, that letters Testamentary of the estate of Bert Breen, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 22 day of June, 1937, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters, they shall be forever barred.

RUTH BREEN, Executrix.

Witness my hand and seal of the Probate Court of Scott County, (SEAL) O. L. SPENCER, Probate Judge.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, Franklin Moore, Admr. D. B. N. of the estate of Laurel G. Stacy, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such Administrator, D. B. N. at the next term of the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri, to be held at Benton in said county, on the 2nd day of August, A. D. 1937.

FRANKLIN MOORE TRUSTEE'S SALE

Notice is hereby given that on July 31, 1937, between 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. at the front door of the Post Office in Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri, under powers given me in a deed of trust dated December 1, 1936, signed by W. L. Righter and wife, Mary F. Righter, filed for record January 8, 1937, recorded in Book 51, Pages 289-300, in the Office of Record of Deeds in said County and executed to Lee B. Ewing, W. F. Sterett, Robert L. Ewing and Gilbert Carter as Trustees, to secure note therein described, which is delinquent, according to its terms, I will, as Trustee, at the request of the legal holder, who has declared the debt due, under the terms of the deed of trust, sell for cash to the highest bidder, at public vendue, the real estate therein described, to-wit: All of lots number Fifteen (15), Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) in Block Number Fifteen (15) of McCoy and Tanner's Second Addition to the Town or City of Sikeston, Missouri, according to the recorded plat thereof, and all improvements thereon, including all fixtures and equipment enumerated in said deed of trust, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and cost of executing this trust.

GILBERT CARTER, Trustee.
July 9, 16, 23, 30.

Spanish Casket Found in Flood Is To Be Studied

Permission has been granted by Coroner F. S. Vernon to Elgin Davis of East Prairie to remove from its grave, a Spanish casket, found by Mr. Davis and J. D. Franks following the 1927 flood. It was reburied by the men south of Dorena.

Little investigation into the casket was made at time because of Mr. Davis being busy with flood duties but a picture was taken and sent to an eastern historical magazine. A reply was received to the effect that it was a Spanish casket.

The casket is shaped as a mummy and is made of some rustproof metal possibly copper. There is a small glass at the top over the head and some fine silken clothes with high collar are visible. There are inscriptions on the casket which are worn and not readable and there are fancy designs in the face which were molded by hand. The casket was cast in two pieces which are bolted together.

The East Prairie men did not venture to open it at the time and it is now proposed to have some experts study the casket for possible identification.

When the men found the casket floating about they at first thought it was a log. It was discovered back of the Dorena cove and whether it was originally buried in this country or further up the Mississippi is a matter of conjecture.

It is believed that it was possibly washed from its burying place in a river bank. Heavy as it was it was surprising that it would float.

It is no doubt several hundred years old for the Spanish deserted the Mississippi Valley in the eighteenth century. Judge James A. Boone ventures that it might be the body of Hernando DeSoto, discoverer of the Mississippi river, who died on the river, and was supposedly buried in a metal casket thrown in the river. History has it that De Soto was buried in the river near Crystal City, Missouri, which is above Charleston.

At least the body must be that of an aristocrat because of the pains taken in making the casket and the inscriptions thereon. It is thought that experts by using some process could decipher the

inscriptions and get some trace of the personage involved. The casket is rust proof. It is believed that the history of the casket would be of great interest to the public.—Charleston Times.

CHURCH OF GOD TO HAVE STATE MEET IN SIKESTON

The Sixteenth Annual state convention of the Church of God in Missouri will convene in Sikeston July 22 to 25 at the church, according to the pastor, Rev. E. R. Pulliam.

All-day services and business sessions will take place during the four days of the gathering. They will close Sunday evening, July 25, with special services.

Included in the list of speakers of note in the church coming to Sikeston, Rev. J. T. Huddleston, Lamar, Rev. Maude Foreman, Kansas City, Missouri, and Rev. C. W. Risner, Kansas City, Kansas. D. R. Holcomb, Sikeston, who is state overseer of the church, and Rev. Pulliam have charge of convention management.

A revival meeting is now in progress at the local church in charge of R. S. Fowler, evangelist.

LOPEZ GETS CHEWED AND CHIEF SUFFERS IN BOUTS

Sun-scorched Raul Lopez stuck his finger in the mouth of Gus Wisbar and got bit. The German, who spotted the Mexican 11 pounds in Wednesday night's squeeze carnival at the Legion arena, lost the main match in two riotous falls.

In the first show Tex Riley, El Paso, and Chief Little Wolf, Tacoma, circled the ring industriously and the Indian, just a shade off his sculp-taking ancestors, won a fall chiefly by the hair of Riley's head. Riley took a fall, and the bout ended in a draw when 60 minutes of grunting time had elapsed.

Lopez' favorite was the choke-hold and the finger-breaker, although Wisbar seemed to thrive on it. The brown boy from below the Rio Grande tried an assorted bunch of illegal holds, pleaded his innocence before Referee Floyd Byrd—pinch-hitting for Mike Meroney—and then took the

first fall. Wisbar had given him a couple of wallops, whereupon Lopez hopped on the German and applied the body pin in 12 minutes.

Both boys staged a sit-down in the second round, Lopey Lopez sat in front and played with Wisbar's feet. Once in a while Gus would apply his forefingers to the Mexican's shoulders at the neck and Lopez would jump like a scared grasshopper. This musing went on at intervals until Gus broke loose with some flying tackles. Gus had a hard time upsetting the heavier Lopez and upset the referee, who didn't like it.

Lopez took several of the flops, turned around and slapped the German to the canvas in 13 minutes with a body press.

Chief Little Wolf went about his grappling in his own methodical style. He took what appeared on his face to be a terrific beating, but when things got a trifle hot, and he stepped out of the ring and took a rest, always returning at the count of nine. Several times Tex had set the stage for some flying tackles, then the Indian calmly went outside the ropes and took a breather.

Riley employed his favorite, the kangaroo kick to win the first fall. He applied three of the leg specialties to the chief and followed them up with a body press in 20 minutes.

Chief continued his little journeys outside the ropes, and even resorted to picking up bugs off the floor at one time with the referee counting. However, when he got right peeved he would grab Tex and make him say "Uncle." Tex tried three body slams and suddenly found himself as the underdog on a crab hold, giving Little Wolf the second fall in seven minutes.

After Chief spent a good part of the time holding Tex outside the ropes and mauling him, time was called.

Services Held For Baby

Shirley Jean Tyler, aged 2 months and 10 days, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler, who live south of Brown's Spur, died Tuesday of colitis. Services were held at the home Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. at Carpenter's ceme-

OPERATED FOR TUMOR

Mrs. Cora Foster of Crowder was taken in the Ellis ambulance to the Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau, Wednesday afternoon where she sustained an operation for tumors, Thursday morning.

LEGION AUXILIARY MEETS

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday evening at the home of Mrs. R. H. Wagner on Greer Avenue.

STATE MAILING OUT 75,000 CHECKS FOR OLD-AGE PENSIONS

Jefferson City, July 14.—The first of the 75,000 old-age assistance checks for the month of July was placed in the mail here today, according to Allen Thompson, in charge of assistance under the social security bill.

SPECIAL

Kerosene

6c PER GAL.

50 Gallon Lots

Martin Oil Co.

Highway 60
Opposite Factory

Special For This Week

1937 V-8 Ford Tudor Mileage 5461 (Guaranteed this mileage)	\$525.00
1934 Chevrolet Truck Dual Wheels C Cab Long Wheel-base	\$250.00
1933 V-8 Ford Dual Wheels C Cab Stake body 157 inch	\$150.00
1930 Ford AA Long Wheel-base Truck Dual Wheel Body	\$125.00
1933 Chev Panel Good Shape	\$250.00
1 Fordson tractor Pully attachment Good shape	\$100.00
1 John Deere Trailer bed Very Good tires Factory hitch	\$125.00
1933 Plymouth Fordor Car that has been in city all time	\$300.00

35 other cars and trucks to choose from name your price. All models of 1937 Ford V-8 cars for immediate delivery.

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TERRELL'S MID-SUMMER Shoe Sale STARTS THURSDAY, JULY 15

LADIES'—White and Summer Footwear

Selby Arch Preservers	\$10.50 Values NOW \$7.95
Peacock Styles	8.75 Values NOW 6.75
Vitality Health Shoes	6.75 Values NOW 5.75
Tweedie Styles	6.00 Values NOW 4.85
Special Styles	5.00 Values NOW 3.85
Active Maid Sport Oxfords	3.85 Values NOW 2.85

MEN'S—White and Sport Oxfords

Bostonians	\$6.75 & \$7.75 Values NOW \$5.75
Freeman Fashion Built	5.50 Values NOW 3.85
Freeman's Champion	4.50 Values NOW 2.85

1/3 OFF All Boy's and Children's White Oxfords and Straps 1/3 OFF

Ask for a Selection of Ladies' Brown and Black Shoes.

In our ECONOMY SECTION priced \$3.85 and \$5.75. Values up to \$10.00 in both sections.

There are many other values that we are unable to mention which would pay you to come and see.

Sale Shoes Sold For Cash Only.

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JULY 25th

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LOCALS

Mrs. Dicie Johnson and daughter Miss Essie Johnson, spent Thursday as guests of Mrs. G. P. Pierce and daughter Miss Rebecca Pierce.

Miss Hita Clymer arrived Saturday from Memphis, Tenn., where she is a student in the Nurses Training class at St. Joseph's Hospital, for a two weeks visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clymer.

Mrs. H. L. Boaz of Parma came Tuesday evening to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Conatser, until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan and grandson, Charles Buchanan of Rolla, and Dr. and Mrs. H. O. Taylor of Anna, Ill., expect to leave Monday for a two weeks trip to Colorado and Yellowstone Park. Mrs. Amos Buchanan and son Bryan of Rolla, came Tuesday night and will manage the Tourist Camp during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Buchanan. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boyce were in Anna, Ill., Saturday afternoon

to attend the funeral of an aunt of Mrs. Boyce. John Roth of Cape Girardeau visited his grandmother, Mrs. L. O. Rodes, Saturday and Sunday. He was recuperating after an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ichy Arthur and two children and the former's aunt, Mrs. Dora Hansen, spent Sunday near Bessville in Bollinger county.

The summer circular of the Chillicothe Business College, a 150,000 issue, is being mailed recent high school graduates throughout twenty states. By this means the college secures its annual yearly enrollment of over 3000.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Harwel had as dinner guests Tuesday evening, Lee Blakemore of St. Louis; Mr. Thorn of Memphis, and Mrs. Dan Folly.

Mrs. B. J. Murbach entertained her card club Wednesday afternoon.

William Corrigan and Mrs. Betty Matthews visited the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. John Corrigan in Poplar Bluff, from Thursday until Sunday.

Mrs. Clay Mitchell will entertain Circle A of St. Ann's Sodality and other friends, Thursday

afternoon at her home on North Ranney.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Frewer entertained with a dinner party Sunday, in honor of Mrs. Margaret Black and her son, E. P. Barnett, who will move to Jefferson City in the near future.

Miss Sylvia Goldstein was the guest of Miss Bernice Samuels in Cape Girardeau Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Strobauch of St. Louis spent the week end in Sikeston. Mrs. Strobauch is the former Miss Jean Meunier of Sikeston.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Groves and baby visited in Dexter Sunday.

Miss Hontas Lee was hostess to her card club Monday night at her home on South Kingshighway.

A baby daughter was born Monday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Jake Thomas at their home on Center street.

Mrs. Margaret Black entertained her card club Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. L. J. Langley and children and their guests, Mrs. Irene Hampton and children of Chicago, visited relatives in Piggott, Ark., several days this week.

Mary Helen Trousdale went to Jefferson City Monday to visit her sister, Miss Clara Trousdale, for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wagner and children will attend the homecoming exercises at the Liberty church near Lutesville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Langley went to Cape Girardeau Saturday to meet the former's sister, Mrs. Irene Hampton and her two daughters and son of Chicago, who are guests in the Langley home this week.

Mrs. Dan McCoy Jr., and son are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bock in New Madrid, for several days.

Dan McCoy Jr., and Raymond Pierce are trailer camping in the Ozarks this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith are spending several days with their daughter in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graber and children, Lorraine and Marlen departed Sunday to spend a month in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sensenbaugh of Memphis, Tenn., visited with friends in Sikeston Monday.

Mrs. Wm. DeKrick and Miss Myra Tanner were luncheon guests of Mrs. Harold Hebbler at the Cape Girardeau Country Club Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Barrett, Mrs. Jean Hirschberg, Miss Emma Grojean and Mrs. W. A. Anthony were in St. Louis Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell re-

turned Thursday to their home northwest of Sikeston, after spending some time at their cottage in Arcadia.

The Chillicothe Business College has an opening in its Boarding Department for a woman head cook and kitchen supervisor, one with restaurant, boarding house or hotel experience. Preference also given a widow with daughter or son to educate.

Mrs. A. C. Sikes entertained Thursday afternoon at her home on South Kingshighway, with five tables of bridge, in compliment to her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Kendall Sikes.

A. C. Sikes, Mrs. F. M. Sikes and Mrs. O. E. Kendall visited with Mrs. Lindsay Brown and family in Charleston Thursday afternoon.

Chief of Police Walter Kendall and Mr. and Mrs. Tharon Stallings visited the former's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rodman, in Jefferson City from Saturday until Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Kendall who had spent the past three weeks with her daughter.

Personal and Society News From Oran

Jas. Maddox who has been visiting relatives here has returned to his home in St. Louis. Mrs. Maddox and children remained for a longer visit.

Relatives from St. Louis have been visiting at the Elmer Hency home.

Mrs. Chas. Spears who has been quite sick is improving.

Mrs. Frank Carter and daughters Priscilla and Patricia and Miss Dixie Hedger of Cape Girardeau spent Friday at the Chas. Carter home.

Ralph Sikes went to Bonne Terre Saturday to see his father who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Chas. Oliver went to Thebes, Illinois Thursday to get acquainted with her new grandson at the Fred Wilson home.

Her small granddaughter Joan Dunbar accompanied her. Mrs. Wilson was formerly Miss Stella Cruise.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wade and children were over from Benton Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Carter of Deering visited last week with their parents. Wednesday Mrs. Carter accompanied her father Mr. Day to St. Louis where he entered Barnes' Hospital for treatment.

Misses Dorothy Sturgeon, Lila Wright, Madge Mason, Edith Rainey, Maxine Grovett and Georgia Lou Douglass attended the softball games in Morley between Cape Girardeau and Morley and Oran and Vanduser last Thursday night.

Art Sturgeon who formerly resided here is assisting his brother in the garage.

Mrs. Virginia Kelley and daughter Mrs. Barney Feltman and small daughter spent the week end in Caruthersville with Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bullinger.

Miss Blue Eye Metz of St. Louis who recently visited her mother left last week for a trip to California.

Mrs. Katie Allen and Mrs. Buchanan of Memphis, Tenn., spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Lillie Watts.

Mrs. Lillie Granett and three daughters, and Messrs Vernon Keeling and Ernest Roar of Dublin, Kentucky spent the week end at the Clarence Grovett home.

Chas. Brown is quite sick with pneumonia. H. Dickey of Morley and W. H. Harman of Malden were here Monday afternoon.

Personal and Society News From Morley

Harold McDonald was in Steele, Mo., one day last week. June Cummins visited in Cape the past few days.

Mrs. Myme Malone visited her aunt Mrs. Dora Congleton Saturday.

Mr. Smiley Rhodes of Fredericktown had business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shores of St. Louis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Shores.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleatus Cox and children spent Sunday in Dexter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nelson of St. Louis visited here Sunday.

Miss Daira Loffen left last week for an extended visit in California.

Norval Anderson of Commerce was here one day last week.



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Mr. Dora Huffstetter has been ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lett and son Tom. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Foster and family, Miss Margaret Thacker and June Cummins attended the Henry Meldrum Picnic No. 114 American Legion picnic Sunday off Highway 61, near the Swinging Bridge.

Miss June Penn of St. Louis is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Ida Boone.

Mrs. Dora Collington left Monday for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Otto Shorter of Terre Haute, Ind.

Louise and Bobby Nelson of St. Louis who have been visiting at the Wm. Foster home the past week returned home Sunday.

Miss Lula R. Ragains and Margaret Thacker shopped in Cape Friday.

Permanent Health Program For Entire State Outlined

Jefferson City, Mo., July 12.—The tentative outline of a public health program which will reach every Missouri county on a permanent basis was announced today by Dr. John W. Williams Jr., director of local health service for the State Health Department.

Need for the program—which involves creation of 11 permanent public health districts in the state—was presented so convincingly to the Legislature that a \$50,000 appropriation was made for the 1937-1938 biennium. To this the Federal Government is expected to add \$150,000. Four of the 11 districts already are in operation in the Southeast Missouri areas flooded last winter.

Those who will attend are:

These are supported largely with federal funds.

The other seven will be set up "as rapidly as possible," with the huge Ozark resort area receiving first consideration, Dr. Williams said.

Each district will have a health officer, from two to four nurses and a sanitary engineer, with the probability that district testing laboratories also will be established.

Not the cure but the prevention of disease and suffering will be the objective, said Dr. Williams.

District sanitary engineers will check water supply, sewage disposal, mosquito control and all other environmental factors affecting health, Dr. Williams said. The health officer and nurses will devote their time to preventive work through immunization, control of communicable diseases, health work in the schools and advocating prenatal and maternal hygiene.

4-H Club Camp at Arcadia

Preparations are all made for the trip to Arcadia. New Madrid County is having the largest delegation of 4-H club members at the camp.

From Risco—Mrs. I. Sheehan, leader, Avanelle Anders, Elaine Anders, Alma Jean Gibbs, Margie Parker, Helen Skaggs, Wilma Morris, Mary Ethel Black, Mrs. J. W. Anders, leader, Lavinia Anders, Mary Ford, Marie Porter, Mildred Allen, Lois Allen, Lois Parks, Peggy Sue Markel, Meredith Morris, Wilma Brantley, Betty Jean Zarecor, Joe Anna Brown, Ida Bell Brown, Mr. E. E. Baskin, leader, Billy Applegate, Jr. Wright, Robert Earl Baskin, Swaine Fisher, Bill Jones and Cletis Jones.

From Canolou—Mrs. Milus Davis, leader, Earline Smith, Rachel Coppage, Hazel Lee Blankenship, Helen McDaniel, Naomi Muffett, Billie Sue Barnett, Mrs. Leonard Baughn, leader, Imogene Lefler, Barney Blankenship.

From Neuman: Robert Eice-man, Walter Crafton, David Sloas and Nadine Sloas.

From Parma—Mrs. Solon Gee, leader, Jacqueline Zarecor, Maxine Harrison, Billie B. Bolton, Sara Lou Norman, June Phillips, Irene Stewart, Lucille Ramsey, Jessie Dean Sharp, Peggy Webb, Sammie Schaefer, Wallace Knight, Tracy Eaton, Jack Gee, J. L. Julian, Robert Gee, Donald Gee, and J. C. Dills.

From Tinsley—Marietta Twit-

ty, Frances Palmer.

From Lilbourn—Mrs. F. LaFont leader, Jeanne LaFont, Sue Duncan, Ethel Jones, leader, Roberta Pollock, Assistant leader, and Mary Shelby.

From Conran—Louise Berry. No list, but we are expecting at least five. They have their own transportation.

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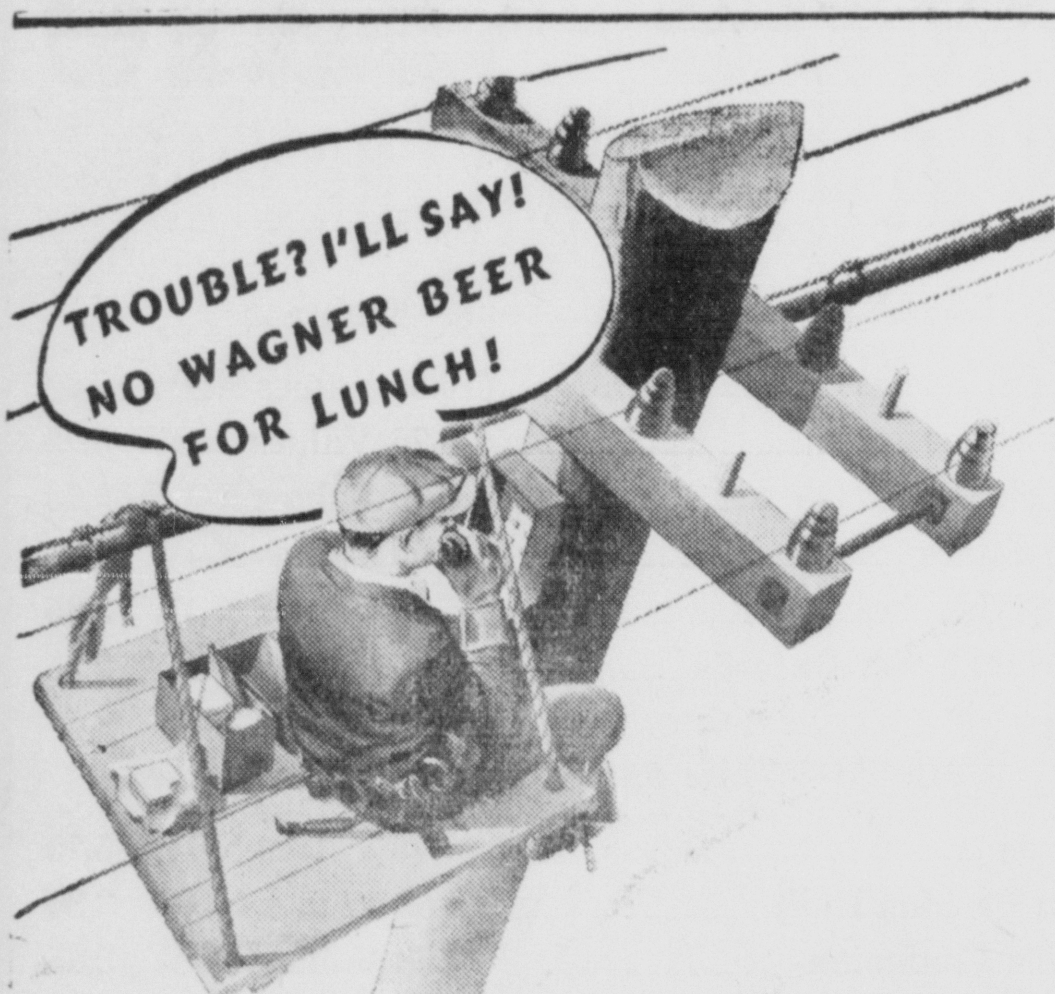
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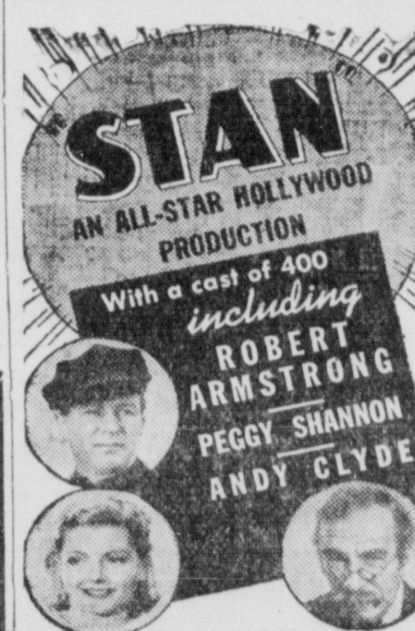
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